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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
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I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 38,220
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